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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: : PCT/JP98/05515
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INAGAKI, Takeo et al :
: Examiner: Mark ZIMMER
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: Art Unit: 1712
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a five (5) month extension of time within which to file a response to the Examiner's Action dated May 30, 2001.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required fee of US\$980.00 and any additional fee or to credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 21-0885.

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